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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 RECEIVED EQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION PATENT

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IN THE APPLICATION OF:

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CASE

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FOR: COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING LIQUID CRYSTALLINE POLYMERS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 25, 2002, Applicant hereby requests continued examination pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.114 and in accordance therewith submits the following AMENDMENT and REMARKS. The appropriate fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(e) accompanies this request for continued examination and submission.